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Chelsea Home News.

H. O. BIXBY, Local Editor.

E. D. Barnes was in Randolph Monday. Irvin Akerman is ill with typhoid fever. Fred Polom is at work for Henry Clark. See C. P. Dickinson's new adv. on this page.

P. J. Little and wife returned home Thursday.

A son was born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Corwin.

Col. Emery's family returned from Lake Morey Monday.

Mrs. George H. Hardy is sick with a bronchial trouble.

J. B. Bacon is erecting a fine large piazza on his residence.

Several from here attended the play at Stratford Friday evening.

Geo. E. Hatch and wife have been visiting friends in Randolph.

R. S. Merchant, Veterinary, Adams' stable. Calls at all hours.

A. J. Whitney and wife left Monday for their home in the west.

School opened Monday with 135 students in all the departments.

Will Rich and wife of Roxbury are visiting friends on the West Hill.

Miss Sadie Eastman returned home Friday from the White mountains.

Dan Stanley and Miss Grace Stanley of Washington were in town Friday.

State's Attorney Darling was at Morrisville last week on legal business.

The new bank building it is expected will be ready for occupancy Oct. 1st.

Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Tarbox of Bradford are visiting at H. W. Whitney's.

Mrs. J. C. Luce and son of Lowell, Mass., are visiting at Alpheus Hood's.

Mrs. F. J. Titus and Miss Lyle Tracy took a wheel trip to Taunbridge Sunday.

Albert A. Wells returned to his home in North Adams, Mass., Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Bryant took in the excursion to Asaiah Chas. last Friday.

Joseph Griffin, who had been working at Randolph this summer, returned home.

J. B. Bacon and family and W. P. Townsend and wife returned home today.

Mrs. Katie Edwards and her brother, Willie Barnes, visited in Thetford last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Powers and Mr. and Mrs. Stow returned from Saratoga Springs last week.

Miss Long has been at her home in Barre for a week's vacation from the hotel.

There was a good attendance at the union service in the Cong'l church Sunday evening.

Ed L. Royce caught his foot in the crank of his bicycle and came very near fracturing his leg.

Wesley Underhill has finished work for Lyma Dennison and is attending school at the academy.

Mrs. E. W. L. French has gone to Barre for a few weeks where she has oxygen and massage patients.

The Rev. Jennie Jackson and Mrs. Wilson of Fort Worth, Texas, were guests at H. S. Fitts' last week.

C. J. Preston of Pawtucket, R. I., is stopping at the hotel. He was formerly a student at Chelsea academy.

Mrs. Betsey Underhill and son have been at Wilder the past week visiting her brother, Chester D. Clough.

Miss Ella K. Herrick, who spent the past two weeks with friends here, went to her home in Milton Friday.

James G. Hayward of Tilton, N. H., is visiting his father, G. L. Hayward. He came on his wheel Saturday.

Jennie Harwood has returned from Braintree where she has been the past two weeks visiting her grandfather.

A number of the veterans attended the Orange County reunion at Williamstown Tuesday and report a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Swift, who have been guests at Nathan Noyes', returned to their home in Boston yesterday.

Mrs. Carrie Balcom and daughter of Wakefield, Mass., are guests of the former's aunt, Mrs. Emeline Waterson.

Mrs. Jane C. Johnson of Wasco, Minn., is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Henry Adams. She had not been here for forty-five years.

Andrew J. Foster, who formerly lived here but now resides in Randolph, has been visiting friends in town the past week.

Cecil Rogers, who is a student in Dr. Still's college of osteopathy at Kirksville, Mo., visited his uncle, Wm. F. Hood, last week.

W. H. Hill has just sold to Charles Ransdell a new McCormick corn harvester, the only machine of the kind in this vicinity.

Work has been begun on the court house bridge. The foundation is nearly completed ready for the iron as soon as it arrives.

George L. Hayward recently added a nice registered Jersey cow to his herd. He purchased it from Mrs. S. Hubbard on the West Hill.

Mrs. Wm. F. Hood and Mrs. George Heimer are spending a few weeks at a popular summer resort on the St. Lawrence river.

Best Kent, who works for G. L. Hayward threshing, caught his hand in the

cylinder while oiling the separator, and cut off the middle finger of the left hand at the first joint.

Mrs. A. L. Pierce of Orford, N. H., Miss Ada Cutting of Lyme, N. H., Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hodason of Piermont, N. H., are visiting at J. C. Atwood's.

James S. Morrill of Stratford, son of the late Senator Morrill, accompanied by his uncle, S. S. Morrill, and wife of Fulton, N. Y., was in town last Thursday.

George E. Hatch is having a much-needed two weeks' vacation from work in the creamery where he has been the past eighteen months. Will Denmore takes his place while he is away.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Edgerton of Northfield were guests of H. N. Mattison Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Edgerton is cashier of the Northfield National bank, where Mr. Mattison gained his three years' banking experience previous to coming to Chelsea.

Royalton.

Mrs. A. V. Adams from Barnard was in town Tuesday.

Prof. C. L. Curtis was in Newport, N. H., Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Laird spent Sunday in White River Junction.

Gladys Lyman from West Lebanon, N. H., is with her grandparents in this place.

Miss Mabel Preston began her second term of school in South Tisbury Monday.

George Joy and Miss May went to Castleton Tuesday to attend the funeral of a relative.

Charles English and family from East Randolph visited Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Kinney over Sunday.

Mrs. Edwin Doubleday and children left Monday for Springfield, Mass., which city will be their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Waterman and two children, George and Mabel, visited in Crown Point and Ticonderoga, N. Y., last week.

Miss Lucy Denison started for Denver Wednesday, where she continues her work as teacher of drawing in the public schools.

Mrs. Edward Tabor left Monday for her home in New Bedford, Mass., and Miss Estabrook returned to Portland, Me., Tuesday.

George Emery from Somerville, Mass., is visiting his father, Amos Emery, and attending the soldiers' reunion in Williamstown.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Waterman were called to Bridport last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Waterman's sister's husband, Elmer P. Broughton, who died Aug. 15th of consumption.

Grange Field day at O. L. Morse's Aug. 10 was a success in spite of the heat and dust, seventy-five people having been present, representing Bethel, Liberty and White River granges. Remarks were made by Dr. Paine on labor in connection with and reference to the farmer; Rev. Mr. Beeman spoke on home influence; J. W. Waldo and Mr. Greene on abandoned farms, causes and remedies. One of the pleasantest features of the day was the singing, which included selections by the Clogston sisters, Miss Rice, Miss Bowen, Mr. Shepard and Rev. Mr. Beeman.

Vershire.

Miss Mabel Speare is visiting friends in Williamstown.

Friends from Pittsford are visiting at J. F. Woodcock's.

Miss Ethel Hanson visited friends in Chelsea last week.

Charles Barrons is spending his vacation with his folks.

Mrs. Will Orr, who has been visiting in town, has returned to Newbury.

Properly belonging to P. D. Richardson was sold at auction last Saturday.

A few from this place attended the Sunday school rally at East Corinth last Friday.

Rev. G. B. Drake has recently spent some time at Mr. Moody's school in Northfield.

Elder E. E. Aubrey and wife, who have been spending their vacation here, have returned to New York.

There was a party at J. F. Woodcock's last Tuesday evening, the occasion being his forty-fifth birthday.

Schools at Copperfield and South Vershire begin Aug. 21st. Miss Hattie Darling and Mrs. C. S. Ely are the teachers.

Rev. Mr. Cudworth from Walla River preached at the Cong'l church last Sunday and also took charge of the C. E. meeting in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Drake, Mr. and Mrs. Shanley and Mr. and Mrs. Woodcock attended the Orange and Gratton county C. E. union at West Fairlee Center last week.

North Royalton.

Miss Jennie Mills is visiting in Woodstock.

Altha and Anne Dutton are visiting in Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Skinner have returned to Broad Brook, Conn.

Chas. Buck and family were at George Slack's the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Woodward and Miss Ella Skinner of Randolph and Chas. D. Kinney of Cincinnati, O., spent Tuesday of last week at Cedarhurst.

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South Royalton Notes.

M. J. BARRETT, Local Editor.

A \$125 organ for \$90. J. J. TREHISE.

Ala Day returned from Montpelier last Saturday.

Arthur Stoughton returned from Boston last week.

Mrs. Joel Phelps visited friends in Lebanon last week.

Everett Smith of Washington is visiting at Dr. E. J. Fish's.

Miss Minnie Metcalf visited at West Hartford last week.

Mrs. E. M. Lovejoy returned from Peterboro, N. H., Monday.

Wallace Slack is here visiting his mother, Mrs. Samuel Slack.

Mabel Southworth returned from Holyoke, Mass., last week.

E. E. Bamforth and wife were at J. M. Shepard's over Sunday.

C. P. Tarbell and family returned from Camp Martin Saturday.

Frank Ainsworth was at home from Brookfield over Sunday.

Chas. Hemenway of New Haven, Conn., is a guest at Brightwood.

Mrs. Henry Sargent and daughter, Josie, returned home Saturday.

Harold Fish returned from his visit to Taunton, Mass., Thursday.

Prof. Kibbee returns to his home in Worcester, Mass., this week.

Irwin Doubleday has his new house in the village nearly completed.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Doubleday visited friends in Pomfret Saturday.

Will and Charlie Kinsman of Hartford, Conn., are visiting friends here.

Mrs. Mary Perkins Shepard returned to her home in East Braintree, Mass., Thursday.

Miss Agnes Denbar and Maud Johnson are visiting J. W. Waldo and wife this week.

Julius Goodwin and wife of Philadelphia were guests of Mrs. James Pike Saturday.

A. H. Lamb, Henry Kinsman and Ed Smith are at Lake Dunmore this week for an outing.

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R. H. Mather has sold his stock of goods and is to go on the road as salesman for Moore, Smith & Co. of Boston.

Mrs. Chas. Blake and daughter and son, Frank, and wife of West Concord, N. H., are visiting her sister, Mrs. Ira Spaulding.

Estes Conant was considerably injured Saturday by being thrown from his carriage in going over a water bar in the highway.

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Mrs. W. F. Bissonette of West Hartford and Misses Carrie Bartlett, Emma and Lizzie Farnham of Florence, Mass., are guests of M. H. Hazen and wife.

The attendance of scholars at the Graded school at the beginning of the term last Monday was 133. Twelve entered the High school who have not attended the school before.

Dwight Lesure has contracted to take charge of building a new barn, 100x40 ft., for H. C. Benson of Royalton to take the place of the one destroyed by lightning a few weeks ago.

The selectmen and road commissioner are making extensive repairs on the highway in the village and putting in conduits to take the surface water on Chelsea and Windsor streets.

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Randolph Continued.

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Farmers' Meeting.

There was a good attendance at the farmers' meeting held at Grange hall yesterday under the auspices of the State Board of Agriculture. Much interest was shown in the various talks and many queries propounded. Any who doubt the helpful nature of such meetings should have been present. J. K. Curtis of Georgia and C. J. Bell of Walden presided.

Music was furnished by a male quartet, consisting of Messrs. Hutchinson, Woodward, Powers and Chaffield.

A. A. Priest of Randolph gave an address of welcome, extending the "glad hand" in a very graceful manner.

"Vermont's Best Crops" was the subject chosen by J. K. Curtis of Georgia. He held that the cultivation of clover and corn was the most profitable generally for Vermont farmers. They were the easiest to raise and yielded the best returns.

Alonso Emery in discussing "Sheep Husbandry" gave a history and description of the different breeds of sheep and how they originated. He compared primitive and modern methods of caring for sheep and wool and advised a return to sheep raising on our Vermont hills and back pastures. Sheep should be raised for mutton, as well as wool.

M. S. Stone, state superintendent of education, talked of the various elements that meant either success or failure in any business. Industry and intelligence should rule, rather than indolence, ignorance and idleness. He thought farmers as intelligent as any class, but related anecdotes and illustrations to show where there was a chance for improvement.

C. J. Bell of Walden talked of "Farm Work." He said that some farmers would accumulate with no larger income than others because they used business methods. Men who hire help must manage to make them earn what they receive.

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President. Cashier

"Bad" on being returned. It is suspected that some of this apparatus was known to be incorrect when purchased. Since the law was passed only one-half per cent that has been installed is faulty. The dipper process is not a good one for taking milk samples. The speaker described a method of securing a fair sample and favored the composite sample, made up every day.

Under the new law creamery operators have to be examined as to their fitness. Some 250 have been licensed and 30 barred out. There is, however, no way of absolutely insuring honesty in milk test. Farmers must and should trust to some extent in their fellowmen and the truth is that milk testers are no worse than farmers themselves, some of whom have been known to beat the creamery by doctoring their milk so as to raise their test.

Handolph Center. A \$125 organ for \$90. J. J. TREHISE. One of Henry Hyzer's twins is seriously ill.

Miss Eliza Sessions and sister are visiting Mrs. Abbie Lamb.

The sidewalks are receiving a much-needed covering of gravel.

Henry Gilbert of Bethel was in town Monday visiting old friends.

Mrs. George Adams is at her father's in Braintree. They have a 6 1-2 pound girl.

Fred Hodges